

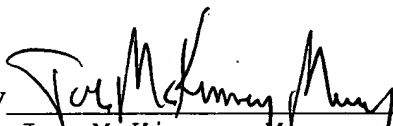
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR		PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL	4	-	20	=	0	\$ 50	\$0.00
INDEPENDENT	1	-	3	=	0	\$ 200	\$0.00
<input type="checkbox"/> FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM						\$360	\$0.00
						TOTAL	\$0.00

- ☒ Petition for THREE (3) month(s) extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.17 and 1.136(a). \$1,020.00 for the extension of time.
- ☐ No fee is required.
- ☒ Notice of Appeal and \$500.00 fee being submitted concurrently.
- ☒ Check(s) in the amount of \$1,520.00 is(are) enclosed.
- ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. 02-2448 in the amount of \$0.00. This form is submitted in triplicate.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

Respectfully submitted,

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REPLY UNDER  
37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
EXAMINING GROUP 2635

PATENT  
1794-0136P

IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Hajime ASAMA et al. Conf.: 4132  
Appl. No.: 09/851,986 Group: 2635  
Filed: May 10, 2001 Examiner: HOLLOWAY III, E.  
For: SUPPORT SYSTEM USING DATA CARRIER  
SYSTEM

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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March 18, 2005

Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Office Action dated September 21, 2004, the period for response having been extended three-months to March 21, 2005, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

This present Amendment includes: changes to the claims, and remarks.